

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 53080
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Masaki HIROHASHI, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 1371
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Application No.: 10/585,927	:	Group Art Unit: 2879
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Filed: July 13, 2006	:	Examiner: Sikha Roy
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For: DISCHARGE LAMP DEVICE	:	

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Approved for entry.  
/Sikha Roy/  
4/27/09

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 24, 2008, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 24, 2009, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.